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AMENDMENT**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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I. (Twice Amended) A method for preserving a preferred presentation layout of a web page authored on a first computing system and rendered on one or more second computing systems, wherein, said layout is susceptible to influence by browser configuration on said one or more second computing systems, said method, comprising:

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